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Second Set Of Interrogatories And Document Production Requests Of KeySpan Energy To USPS Witness Linda A. Kingsley

Pursuant to Rules 25, 26, and 27 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, KeySpan Energy submits the following interrogatories and document production requests to United States Postal Service witness Linda A. Kingsley: **KE/USPS-T10-5**. If the designated witness is unable to answer any of these questions, please direct them to the appropriate witness who can provide a complete response.

Respectfully submitted,

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KE/USPS-T10-5 Please refer to your response to Interrogatory KE/USPS-T10-1, where you indicate that the Advanced Facer Canceler System (AFCS) does not cull out heavy letter-sized mail.

- (a) Please explain whether or not the Postal Service culls out any letter-sized mail pieces, based on weight, prior to processing that occurs in the Mail Preparation operation. If the Service does so, at what weight level are letter-sized pieces culled out and how is this task accomplished?
- (b) Please explain whether or not the Postal Service culls out any letter-sized pieces, based on weight, prior to processing that occurs in the Outgoing RBCS operation. If the Service does so, at what weight level are letter-sized pieces culled out and how is this task accomplished?
- (c) Please explain whether or not the Postal Service culls out any letter-sized pieces, based on weight, prior to processing that occurs in the Outgoing Primary Automation operation. If the Service does so, at what weight level are letter-sized pieces culled out and how is this task accomplished?
- (d) Please explain whether or not the Postal Service culls out any letter-sized pieces, based on weight, prior to processing that occurs in the Outgoing Primary Manual operation. If the Service does so, at what weight level are letter-sized pieces culled out and how is this task accomplished?

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing discovery request upon the United States Postal Service, Ted P. Gerarden, the Designated Officer of the Commission, and participants who requested service of all discovery documents, in compliance with Rules 12, 26, and 27 of the Commission's Rules of Practice.

Dated this 21th day of March 2000.

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